

## STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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## **NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS**

Subject: Invitation to Bid on Purchase Order Contract

County: Yancey County

Project Description: Replacement of Bridges 26 and 167 in Yancey County

The North Carolina Department of Transportation is requesting bids for the replacement of Bridge 26 and Bridge 167 on SR 1323 in Yancey County. This work shall consist of furnishing all labor, equipment, and materials to remove the existing bridges and construct reinforced concrete box culverts, as directed in the plans. Work includes: removal of the existing structures; clearing and grubbing; excavation and embankment; installation of box culverts; guardrail; roadway base course and pavement; grading; temporary erosion control; seeding and mulching; traffic control, marking & delineation; and all incidental items necessary to complete the project as specified and shown on the plans.

The availability date for this project is **February 1, 2018**.

The completion date for this project is **November 30, 2018**.

Sealed bids must be received in the NC Department of Transportation Division Office at 55 Orange Street, Asheville, NC 28801 by 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 20, 2017. Bids must be submitted on the official bid sheet included in the proposal and display the following statement on the front of the envelope:

QUOTATION FOR CONTRACT # DM00235; REPLACEMENT OF BRIDGES 26 & 167 IN YANCEY COUNTY TO BE OPENED AT 2:00 P.M. ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20, 2017.

ATTN: MIKE CALLOWAY, DIVISION PROJECT MANAGER

Firms that wish to perform work on Division Purchase Order Contracts as either the prime contractor or as a subcontractor on the project must be prequalified for the type work they wish to perform. Firms that wish to bid on these projects as the prime contractor must be prequalified <u>prior to submitting your bid</u>. Firms that wish to perform as a subcontractor to the prime contractor must be prequalified <u>prior to beginning work on the project</u>.

Any firm that wishes to bid as a prime contractor shall be prequalified as a Bidder or PO Prime Contractor prior to submitting a bid. Information regarding prequalification can be found at: https://connect.ncdot.gov/business/Prequal/Pages/default.aspx.

If you are unsure as to whether your firm is currently prequalified by the Department by the Contractual Services Unit, a search of the Directory of Transportation Firms can be performed at the following website:

https://apps.dot.state.nc.us/vendor/directory/

It shall be the responsibility of the bidder to check our website for any addenda prior to submitting their bids. For each addendum issued, bidders are directed to sign the addendum acknowledgement form located in the contract proposal.

The North Carolina Department of Transportation, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights of 1964 (78 Stat.252) and the Regulations of the Department of Transportation (49 C.F.R., Part 21), issued pursuant to such act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that the contract entered into pursuant to this notice will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder without discrimination on the grounds of sex, race, color, or national origin.

Statements of Disadvantaged Business Enterprises participation must be presented with the bids.

Proposals may be obtained online at: <a href="https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Letting-List.aspx?let\_type=13">https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Letting-List.aspx?let\_type=13</a>.

Cordially,

DocuSigned by:

M.K. Calloway

**Division Project Manager** 

cc: Mr. J.J. Swain, Jr., P.E., Division Engineer

Mr. R.A. Tipton, P.E, PLS, Division Construction Engineer

Mr. M.T. Gibbs, P.E., Division Maintenance Engineer

Mr. J.R. Lawrence, Resident Engineer

Mr. C.D. Medlin, P.E., Bridge Program Manager

Mr. J.R. Rice, Division Bridge Maintenance Engineer

Mr. T.S. Wilson, District Engineer